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RE: BREMERTON AUTO WRECKING LANDFILL GROUNDWATER MAP

Dear Mr. Wang:

The Kitsap County Health District (Health District) is writing to comment and clarify the groundwater situation you discussed in your letter to the Health District dated February 14, 2003, regarding the Bremerton Auto Wrecking Landfill (BAWL).

Attached is a map developed in our office with data from the local water PUD and Kitsap County's GIS office. The orange triangle shape in the lower center of the map is BAWL. The travel bars that run diagonally from bottom to top have at their head the City of Bremerton production wells for approximately 10,000 persons. Given the topography and the heavy drawn down from the City of Bremerton production wells it is reasonable to assume that groundwater flow is to the north, not northeast as stated in the SHA.

If you have any questions please feel free to call. I can be reached at (360) 337-5607.

Sincerely,

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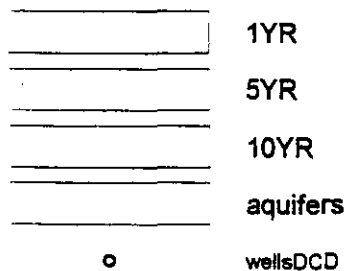
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Bremerton Auto Wrecking Landfill



Legend

Groundwater travel time



0 500 1,000 2,000 3,000 4,000 Feet



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